

United States District Court  
District of Maine

Portland Alpine-Hunt Club LLC,	)	
on behalf of itself and all others	)	
similarly situated,	)	
	)	
Plaintiff,	)	
v.	)	Case No. 2:19-cv-00446-JAW
	)	
Mowi ASA (fka Marine Harvest ASA),	)	
et al.	)	
	)	
Defendants.	)	

**Joint Motion to Transfer Case to the Southern District of Florida**

In light of the Court’s recent Order to transfer a related case, *Prime Steakhouse v. Mowi ASA, et al.*, No. 2:19-cv-00207-JAW, ECF No. 68 (D. Me. March 26, 2020) (“*Prime Steakhouse*”), and to promote “judicial economy,”<sup>1</sup> the parties<sup>2</sup> have agreed that this action should also be transferred to the Southern District of Florida.

Thus, under 28 U.S.C § 1404(a), the parties jointly move and consent to transfer this case to the Southern District of Florida. *See Prime Steakhouse* at 23 (stating that, under 28 U.S.C. § 1404(a), “a district court may transfer a case to any other district or division where the case might have been originally brought, or *to which the parties have*

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<sup>1</sup> *Prime Steakhouse* at 24 (citing authorities that the public factors for determining a request to transfer often “focus on judicial economy”).

<sup>2</sup> This Motion is brought by Plaintiff Portland Alpine-Hunt Club LLC and by the Defendants who have been served in this case: Defendants Lerøy Seafood USA Inc., Ocean Quality USA, Inc., Ocean Quality North America, Inc., Ocean Quality Premium Brands, Inc., Grieg Seafood BC Ltd., Marine Harvest USA, LLC, Marine Harvest Canada, Inc., Ducktrap River of Maine LLC, and Scottish Sea Farms Ltd.

*consented*, in the interest of justice or for the convenience of the parties and witnesses”)  
(quoting *Bluetarp Fin., Inc. v. Matrix Constr. Co.*, 709 F.3d 72, 83 n.11 (1st Cir. 2013))  
(emphasis added).

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